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INFO ALL NATO CAPITALS

AMEMBASSY MOSCOW

AMEMBASSY HELSINKI

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E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR

SUBJECT: CSCE: SWISS PROPOSAL

HELSINKI FOR USDEL MPT

REF: ( A) NATO 1679, ( B) NATO 1658, ( C) STATE 54749

1. AS INDICATED REF C, WE WOULD BE PREPARED TO PARTICIPATE  
IN LEGAL EXPERTS' DISCUSSION OF SWISS PROPOSAL WHENEVER  
OTHER ALLIES FEEL SUCH DISCUSSION WOULD BE ADVISABLE.

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MAY 8-9 DATES SUGGESTED REF A WOULD BE SUITABLE. DEPARTMENT-  
AL REPRESENTATIVE WILL BE ASST. LEGAL ADVISER HAROLD RUSSELL

2. AS INDICATED PARA 1, REF C, HOWEVER, OUR PREFERENCE  
IS THAT OTHER ALLIES ASSUME PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY IN  
DEVELOPING ALLIED POSITION ON SWISS PROPOSAL. WE DO NOT  
BELIEVE IT WOULD BE ADVISABLE, THEREFORE, FOR US TO  
DEVELOP A "MANDATE" FOR EXPERTS MEETING AS SUGGESTED REF A.

3. RE CANADIAN INQUIRY PARA 4 REF B, AS INDICATED PARA  
2 REF C WE DO NOT RPT NOT WISH US TO BE PRINCIPAL PARTY  
TO INFORM SWISS OF POSSIBLE REVISIONS WHICH MIGHT BE MADE  
IN SWISS MANDATE. WE ALSO BELIEVE THAT ANY ALLIED SUGGESTED  
CHANGES MIGHT BEST BE CONVEYED TO SWISS THROUGH THEIR MPT  
DELEGATION IN HELSINKI IN FIRST INSTANCE.

4. BEGIN FYI. BASIC US POLICY TOWARD SWISS PROPOSAL  
REMAINS AS STATED PARA 4 STATE 54749. END FY ROGERS

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